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**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Docket No: Q64971

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Appln. No.: 09/891,264

Group Art Unit: 2152

Confirmation No.: 1632

Examiner: Dohm Chankong

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For: METHOD OF SERVICE PROVISION IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK  
AND FURTHERMORE PROGRAM MODULES AND MEANS THEREFOR

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004, Applicant submits the following remarks.

Applicant thanks the Examiner for acknowledging his claim to priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119. The Examiner indicated in the Office Action that some of certified copies of the priority documents have been received. However, Applicant claimed only one priority, and submitted the certified copy of the priority document in 2001.

Claims 1-11 are all the claims pending in the application.

Claims 1-11 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over Yates et al. (USP 6,330,586) in view of Beck *et al.* (USP 6,604,140). Applicant traverses the rejection of claims 1-11 for at least the reasons discussed below.